



**MICHIGAN**  
**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
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MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION & INFRASTRUCTURE

June 8, 2016

9:00 a.m.

Room 521 House Office Building

Chair Pettalia called the meeting to order.

Present were: Reps. Pettalia, Glardon, Farrington, Goike, Jacobsen, Yonker, Lauwers, Cole. Maturen, Lane, Rutledge, Smiley, Dianda, Neeley, LaGrand,

Absent and excuse: Rep. McCready.

Rep. Goike moved to approve the minutes of the meeting held May 24, 2016. The motion prevailed.

Chair Pettalia laid before the committee SB 557 – Knollenberg – Transportation; funds; requirement that cities and villages bear a portion of the cost of opening, widening, and improving state trunk line highways; eliminate.

Chair Pettalia recognized Senator Knollenberg to explain SB 557.

Chair Pettalia recognized John LaMacchia representing the Michigan Municipal League to further explain SB 557 and testify in support of SB 557.

Questions and discussion followed.

The following people testified in support of SB 557.

Bill Anderson representing Southeast Michigan Council of Governments  
Jim Schafer representing the City of Madison Heights, Michigan

Chair Pettalia moved to recess the meeting to the call of the chair without objection, the time being 9:33 a.m.

Chair Pettalia reconvened the meeting, the time being 9:39 a.m.

The following person wanted to testified in support of SB 557 but did not testify.

Brian Kischnick representing the City of Troy, Michigan

Chair Pettalia recognized Troy Hagan and Myron Frierson representing the Michigan Department of Transportation who testified in opposition to SB 557 in its current form and to answer questions by member of the Transportation & Infrastructure Committee.

The following people filled out testimony cards in support of SB 557 but did not want to testify.

Kenson Siver, Mayor of the City of Southfield, Michigan  
Peter Ruddell representing the City of Kalamazoo, Michigan

Rep. Dianda moved to report out SB 557 with the recommendation that it pass. The motion prevailed, the vote being 14-0-2.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Pettalia, Glardon, Farrington, Goike, Jacobsen, Lauwers, Cole, Maturen, Lane, Rutledge, Smiley, Dianda, Neeley, LaGrand,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

Rep. Lane moved to excuse the member that was absent. The motion prevailed.

With no further business to come before the committee Chair Pettalia adjourned the meeting, the time being 9:59 a.m.

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Representative Peter Pettalia, Chair

Mary Lou Terrien, Clerk